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THE JOURNAL.

SALISBURY, THURSDAY, SEPT. 19.

It was once observed by an eminent statesman, that one good reason was sufficient for a thing should be adjudged in one way or another. But when several good reasons can be adduced, to confirm any proposition, it would seem natural to believe that the proposition would thereby be more firmly established. The following are therefore offered in support of the resolution of the Raleigh Convention of the 4th of July last, which recommended that the rail roads now proposed should commence and terminate within the State in preference to any leading towards Virginia or South Carolina.

First, then, the advantage of a large town or city in the State would be lost by doing the course of trade to its terminus at a distant town in another State, as is fully demonstrated by the great anxiety manifested by the citizens of South-Carolina and Virginia to have roads projected leading on the one side to Petersburg, and on the other to Columbia. We cannot give them credit for so much philanthropy or brotherly love, as to urge the adoption of these plans purely for our benefit: their former conduct will not warrant such a belief. The like reason would equally apply to prevent the State Bank of any kind in the State, because Virginia and South-Carolina kindly offer us the use of their paper currency at the common market price, and will not charge us more for it than any other people!

Second. The advantages of a large town or city in North-Carolina, ought to be as great to the inhabitants of this State as it is to those of any other State. What makes land so valuable in the vicinity of New-York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, and elsewhere? Is not entirely owing to the presence of those cities whose inhabitants consume the products of the soil? To bring the subject nearer home—what induces people to purchase single acres of land in Salisbury at the price of from four hundred to one thousand dollars, when at the distance of five or ten miles they could get any quantity at from two to five dollars per acre of equally good quality? Is not the convenience of location as to a market?

Third. Town property in North-Carolina is liable to State tax; but if we contribute to the growth of any town out of the State it will not be subject to a tax in this State, and in this way we shall lose the incidental advantages of a commercial emporium. The loss of increased value of real estate, the loss of the power of taxation, the loss of the warehouse charges, are all reasons for refusing to favor either Virginia or South-Carolina. It would be an advantage to the State of Columbia to extend a road from them into the interior of the State, surely the same advantages would be to any of the towns in this State a rail road extending far into the interior, and making them the terminus of trade for a large district of the State. To forego these advantages, when we are surrendering our independence as a State, which we have a right to maintain as any other State would operate as a surrender of our rights by keeping the population increasing, by abstracting the capital from the State to be expended in other places to greater ad-

vantage. Although wealth, in theory, does not, in our government, give political power, the poor man having nominally as much weight as the rich man, still wealth has its real influence even in the hands of the ignorant; and its influence is still greater when possessed by the well informed, if they choose to give it a bearing upon political matters; but the wealth of a State, and consequently its political influence, does not consist so much in money or property, as it does in the number of its inhabitants: any policy, therefore, that has a tendency to decrease its money, property, or number of inhabitants, is surrendering so much of its independence and weight in the General Government.

I, therefore, as one of the citizens of this State, protest against the schemes of rail roads, either leading towards Petersburg or Columbia, believing that they will have the pernicious effect upon the prosperity of the state above pointed out.

A VOLUNTEER.

H. L. Pinkney, late editor of the Charleston Mercury, is elected without an opponent for a seat in Congress in that District. The central Committee of the Union Party have issued a card with reference to the election, in which they assign these reasons for not taking up a candidate:

"So long as the contest waged by the Union Party, for political power, was to be regarded as a struggle to maintain the rights and privileges of the people, to support the majesty of the laws, and to preserve the Constitution and Union of the States, the Central Committee thought no sacrifice too great to secure the triumph of their principles, and to save the State from approaching ruin. But when the adoption of such a course as might be most likely to restore order and harmony to this community, by removing all pretext for renewing the disgraceful scenes which were exhibited during the preceding elections, and which were calculated to degrade our institutions, and materially to effect the character and credit of our city. With a view of preventing a recurrence of similar disorders, the Central Committee recommended that all opposition at this moment be withdrawn and the people be left to the slow and certain operation of time and reflection, relying with the utmost confidence upon the future co-operation of the religious and virtuous citizens of Charleston, and upon the good sense of all parties of our community, to restore the purity of the elective franchise, and to select men to represent them, who will exert their talents and influence to promote the interests of this city and State, and to maintain the authority of the Government and the supremacy of the laws of the country."

Vagrant Impostors.—Under this head, the Westchester Herald gives the following facts:

"There are a number of middle aged well dressed men, who traverse the United States through, and impose on the generosity of the public. They have printed petitions pasted on muslin which state, that they have been wrecked and lost their all, on a voyage from Europe to this country; others that they have been wrecked among the Turks, and their families at this time held in slavery, and they wish to raise funds to purchase their liberty. They generally have the name of the captain with whom they were wrecked, signed to the petition, and sometimes certified by a notary public to be true. They usually pretend to be ignorant of our language, although they will to some speak it well.

"These petitions are to be procured in New York, at 50 cents each! They have been practising this imposition about thirty years; and it must be unquestionably the duty of every citizen to expose the impostors to the public, that we may guard against them."

PRINCETON, N. J. Sept. 6.

A handsome present.—We have just had the gratification of examining a large and most splendid Map of Virginia, which has recently been presented to the college by the Legislature of that State, as a testimony of regard for having educated a considerable number of Virginia's

most distinguished sons. It is on a large scale, elegantly colored, varnished and mounted. The engraving is in Tanner's best style, for which he is so justly celebrated. The present is one of which the College of New Jersey may well be proud.

While on the subject we are led to remark, that if the different States would adopt the plan of presenting to the different prominent Colleges each a Map of their respective State, they would greatly facilitate the circulation of accurate geographical information, and by that means (perhaps more than by any other) have that kind of information generally disseminated, which we consider of great importance to every State in the Union.

[American System.]

"Sour Grapes."—Perhaps there is no propensity of the human mind more truly beneficial in advertising, or at least, softening the ills of life, than that which leads us to undervalue those blessings which are absolutely and positively beyond our reach. An old tradition gives a curious instance of this spirit, as follows:

When Noah snugly secured himself in his ark, and the rain had commenced pouring down in earnest, a reprobate who had long had his own sport with the aforesaid ungainly building, now finding the joke rather against him and the water above his knees, walked up and desired to treat for a "chance in." Noah informed him with the politeness of a diplomatist, but the decision of a general, that his proposition or his person was utterly inadmissible. A second trial was attended with the same success. At last our graceless wight finding the water washing his shoulders, and that there was no further time for mincing matters, waded again to the ark and humbly entreated admission. But Noah was still inexorable, and it was plainly a gone case. Turning therefore, on his heel, with all the disdain and indignation so natural to a man in his awkward predicament, "Go to hell!" he cried.

Hindoo Superstition.—At the late annual meeting of the London Missionary Society, the Rev. Dr. Doron, late Church Missionary at Travancore, said:

In a journey through the peninsula of India, he saw one day a female about fifteen years of age lying dead on the threshold of her parent's door, and the body was yet warm. He asked what had occasioned the death of the girl, and learned that she had been bitten by a Cobra Capello, a snake whose bite produces death in 20 minutes. It had taken up its abode in the house, and had that day happened to creep out of its abode, and bit the deceased girl. He asked if this snake had been killed, on which the mother replied with a degree of horror in her countenance, that if this snake were killed, every other member of her family would die. The fact was the snake had been worshipped as the household god!

From the Yorkville Patriot.

We give the following extract from the speech of Mr. McDuffie, recently delivered at Athens, Georgia:

"The tariff is but one of the forms in which the property of the South is liable to be assailed, and he must be blind to the most palpable indications, who does not perceive the threatening signs of an approaching crisis, much more fearful than that we have passed, in which this dead enactment will rise up in bloody resurrection, re-animated by the fiendish spirit of a blind and heartless fanaticism carrying terror and death, and worse than death, into our domestic sanctuaries, and our household altars.—While this act remains upon our statute books, there can be no security for the rights of the southern states. It is a formal declaration, that the states shall be henceforth shorn of their sovereignty, and reduced to the condition of vassal provinces, while the limitations of the power of the Federal Government, are to be prescribed, not as heretofore claimed, by the Supreme Court, but marked out by the sword of a military dictator. What, then, is the duty of every citizen of the southern states, who feels the sacred obligations of transmitting unimpaired to his children, the precious inheritance of freedom, which his ancestors purchased with their blood? If these were the last words I had to utter, I would say to my fellow-citizens of the south 'be prepared to defend your liberties in every form, and at every hazard, and as soldiers of constitutional liberty, sleep on your arms.' Melancholy experience has taught us, the impotence of all parchment securities for our rights, and we have found

that that is true, now and here, which has been true in all ages and countries, that no people can long preserve their liberties, who have not the spirit, and who are not prepared to defend them in every form in which they may be assailed.

It is high time that the southern states should awake from their slumber of false security, and offering up every selfish feeling, and distracting jealousy, on the altar of patriotism, prepare for a united struggle for constitutional liberty. Already have our adversaries drawn their lines around the citadel, and commenced their approaches, according to the most improved system of attack; and God only knows how long it may be, before they open their trenches, and commence their cannonade. Under these circumstances I do sincerely believe, that a speedy Union of the Planting States, in precautionary measures for the protection of their peculiar rights, is the only means of saving our posterity from the most awful and afflictive destiny."

Remarks of the Patriot, on the foregoing—Where are the "threatening signs of an approaching crisis," above alluded to—we ask for the proof—it cannot be given because it does not exist. The ravings of a few fanatics and wild enthusiasts have been trumpeted forth to the world, as the settled opinions of the people of the north. As well might we take the absurd notions of the Nullifiers, for the voice and opinion of the whole South. "While this act (the collection bill) remains upon the statute book, there can be no security for the rights and liberties of the southern states." Now how an act passed to put down resistance to the laws, and encroachments on the Constitution, can prove destructive to the rights and liberties of the states, is more than we can discover.—The bill in question interferes with none of the "reserved" rights of the states—it only gives to the President as the Executive Officer of the nation, power to preserve unimpaired the rights belonging to the Government, and, when necessary, to call out the militia to enforce the laws. It is a bill to protect the Government, and not to protect the rights of the states. It is a bill to defend the Government, and not to defend the rights of the states. It is a bill to preserve the Union, and not to preserve the rights of the states. It is a bill to maintain the supremacy of the laws, and not to maintain the rights of the states. It is a bill to protect the property of the Government, and not to protect the property of the states. 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ON OUR STATE CONSTITUTION.

NO. VI.

"All political power is vested in and derived from the people only."—*Bill of Rights.*
To the Editors:

I have already shown that our Constitution was framed at a period when any attempt to defeat it would have been disastrous to Liberty, and by a body of men (however pure their intention were) who had no power from the People to establish it—that these men were probably influenced by a necessity to accommodate some of its features to the customs of the country and the divisions of our people. I have proved that they did not impose any limits on the rights of the People to reform it, when the circumstances of the country should render it safe as well as desirable—that such a limitation was purposely omitted, with a view to quiet all jealousy and avoid a strife that might be ruinous to the cause of independence. I have demonstrated as far as figures will prove any thing, that a majority of the People, and they who support the Government of North Carolina, do not administer its affairs—I have stated for the consideration of your readers, some of the public evils which have sprung from this unequal county representation. These are an expense which exceeds the revenue, and has already led us into wasteful extravagance, and which must soon end in bankruptcy, or the imposition of higher taxes on a majority to pay the minority for their misrule; unwholesome and expensive legislation; sectional party spirit and geographical divisions among our legislators; and a growing diffusion of this dangerous influence among the people at large. I have pointed out how one man, in one part of North Carolina, has more weight in its councils than 7 in another, or 6 in another or 5 in another, &c. That the people of 21 counties pay those of 43 to rule over them; and that they of 20 counties, do not contribute towards the revenue a sum equal to the wages received by their delegates, and a fair proportion of the cost of preparing the edicts which they promulgate for the government of the people. That one-third govern and tax two-thirds of the people of the State.—That the people are taxed by those whom they cannot call to account for their conduct. That one portion pay the taxes which another expend. And now let me ask you, Why are these things permitted to be so? I call for an answer. These are not evils which rest upon the bare assertion of any one man or set of men. They are not the hasty suggestions of party enthusiasm. They are sober truths, susceptible of the clearest proofs, and made plain to the humblest capacity. Let me therefore repeat the enquiry, Why are they allowed to continue? If the opposers of reform act manfully, and speak out the real truth, they must tell you that they can be maintained for no other purpose than to preserve the Power of a MINORITY and to perpetrate a denial of RIGHTS to a MAJORITY of the PEOPLE. Heretofore there has been some faint denial that these evils existed, but they have gone on to increase in their magnitude until now no man who has any regard for his character will deny their existence. Yet the Representatives of the People have obstinately refused a remedy. They who are in a majority, have proposed that, unless the minority consent to a change of the Constitution, they will not halt; and if they have once refused to alter it, they will not alter it again. More than once or twice I heard it urged upon the minority, that this majority, "not to despair of the Convention and the power to ORIGINATE," greatly deceived, and redress themselves. These things, if it was not designed to prevent the people in 1823, when a Convention was held in Raleigh by the representatives of those who have been so long excluded from a fair share in the government of the State. I may indeed be mistaken, for I cannot speak *ex cathedra*, but I have reasons to think it was so, and that the design was not carried into execution, because the public attention soon after it became so much engrossed by the Presidential Election. The inequalities of our representation are now much greater than they were at that day—the temper of reform is now much milder—the concessions which are now offered are more liberal; consequently, a refusal to accede to them will be much more offensive. Hence too, the majority are less likely to submit to any refusal to do them justice and the minority will be less excusable for such a course. For one, I say then, let these things be settled—and in my judgment, (however honest his purpose may be) that man is blind to the interests of North Carolina, as well as indifferent to the demands of the most ordinary equity, who will any longer withhold his assent to a just compromise of this agitating question.

I know that there are some among your readers who will pervert my argument into a seeming threat and crow a note of defiance—"What forsooth, does this scribbler expect to alarm me into his terms?" No my good sir, I say to any such—I seek not any thing of the sort. But those who love the State more than their party—those who are not too proud to be wise, and would take a sober view of the probable effects of withholding an admitted right—who are Statesmen and not political coxcombs, may find, I think, in these things subjects for reflection and arguments to convince them. Rest assured they are not meat for you my high mettled friend.

If an agent were called on to account and surrender his power of Attorney, and he refused it upon the vain pretext that his principal had accompanied his demand with an intimation that obstinate refusal would compel him to demand the surrender by *suu*, would it be a good answer from a faithful agent?—"I will give nothing though it be just, because you have dared to let me know I might ultimately be forced to do it?"

If a man has come into possession of another's property by accident, in a time of common danger, can he honestly withhold it from the true owner, upon the pretence that he is justified, because the owner will not go on his knees and humbly beseech him to restore it? Shall he pray for it 'seventy times seven,' and will not seven times answer the prayer of his neighbor? Alas! how long must it be true, that men will perpetrate injustice in their political relations, which they would scorn to practise in the private relations of life! If a partnership is formed in trade, and after its continuance for 50 years, two thirds of the partners do not furnish funds sufficient to cover their own expenses and the other third are yearly sinking their capital in defraying these expenses—would it be considered just in that two thirds, to refuse the entreaties of their copartners to consent to diminish the expenses and reform their

policy of the people. Are you ready to prove that such a course would not be effectual? Are you prepared to demonstrate that such a step would be obnoxious to the principles of our Government? Are the minority of North Carolina blind to the consequences of that course into which they are forcing the majority? I am far, very far, from desiring to see this experiment tried. The Governments of this country have had trials enough in the generation. I wish to see no such tests applied to their permanency and stability. It has dangers which I need not depict to you, and which I heartily deprecate. But remember that a people who have been long denied their rights, who have unsuccessfully made all the proposals that are consistent with the practice and theory of free Governments in this country, are the most prudent calculators of consequences when they are contending for that which they have inherited in common with their brethren, but which they are yet denied—the enjoyment of—EQUAL RIGHTS.

The friends of Reform have now taken what we know to be the last step before they reach that perilous height which I have hinted at. If they fall here, they are left no other alternative but to SUBMIT, or resort to the exercise of the high but dangerous privilege of ORIGINATING a Convention among themselves by the vote of the majority. What then, is the part of wisdom and patriotism? They have applied to the Legislature in vain for more than 20 years; as their evils have increased, they have repeated their demands. Now, they have turned with confidence to the PEOPLE, and invoked their attention to these things. They have appealed from the SERVANTS of the Republic to the SOVEREIGNS of the State, and no man can feel indifferent to the answer that this appeal shall find, for none can be uninterested in its consequences. The result ought not to prove that a large portion of North Carolina are prepared to repudiate the maxim of American freedom, that "in a State, the majority must govern." Our history ought never to record that they, whose fathers were first to defy the power of tyrants, are willing to renounce their confidence in the capacity and virtue of the people, and their allegiance to the rights of self government; or, that they despise the ancient boast of our free institutions, that "every inequality may be removed and all their evils may be cured by the peaceable action of the public will." Nor is this all. If the appeal is rejected, and the representatives elected by a majority of the people are to be cheered with the plaudit "well done good and faithful servants," to persevere in a denial of RIGHTS to a majority—poor old North Carolina may be destined to present the spectacle of a people roused to put in practice the most dangerous experiment our country has ever endured; but one, which I think, it will puzzle the most ingenious politician among us to prove, is not sanctioned by our BILL of RIGHTS and the principles of our Government—I would rather hope, but I dare not trust myself to believe, that this majority will sooner submit. Let us do justice, and avert the possibility of such an evil.

A majority of the people who are accustomed to study the principles of their government, and have been so long contending against injustice, may not be patient after having exhausted all other means of getting an equal share in the government, and may not halt; and if they have once refused to alter it, they will not alter it again. More than once or twice I heard it urged upon the minority, that this majority, "not to despair of the Convention and the power to ORIGINATE," greatly deceived, and redress themselves. These things, if it was not designed to prevent the people in 1823, when a Convention was held in Raleigh by the representatives of those who have been so long excluded from a fair share in the government of the State. I may indeed be mistaken, for I cannot speak *ex cathedra*, but I have reasons to think it was so, and that the design was not carried into execution, because the public attention soon after it became so much engrossed by the Presidential Election. The inequalities of our representation are now much greater than they were at that day—the temper of reform is now much milder—the concessions which are now offered are more liberal; consequently, a refusal to accede to them will be much more offensive. Hence too, the majority are less likely to submit to any refusal to do them justice and the minority will be less excusable for such a course. For one, I say then, let these things be settled—and in my judgment, (however honest his purpose may be) that man is blind to the interests of North Carolina, as well as indifferent to the demands of the most ordinary equity, who will any longer withhold his assent to a just compromise of this agitating question.

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articles accordingly. The answer is too plain, and who is so blind as not to observe a parallel to this, in the Government of North Carolina? But it may be said, that some of partners, whose substance is let out by this ruinous copartnership, do not complain, and yet does that, in any way, justify the infliction of this injury upon those who do complain of it? In the school of party, stimulated by jealousy and a love of power, logic-like, this may pass for substantial; but what is it in the school of reason and justice? Let candor and conscience answer the enquiry. SENEX.

IMPORTANT LETTER.—The following letter (says the New York Commercial Advertiser) from Mexico, is not only of a late date, but from a high and authentic source. The writer has opportunities of acquiring information, and forming opinions, possessed by but few. His suspicions respecting the ulterior designs of SANTA ANNA correspond with the views which we have entertained of the character of that chieftain for years. They may be ungrounded. But—
From our Correspondent.
Mexico, 17th July, 1833.

We are once more in civil war, and how long it may endure none can predict. The leaders in the new plan (so called) are amongst the most distinguished and popular officers in the whole Mexican army, and have already attracted to their standard most of the regular troops. Several affairs have already occurred between the army of the government and revolvers, but terminating always in the defeat of the troops of the government. The President, Gen. St. Anna, has taken the command of the army in person, and much is expected from him: His star may once more gain the ascendancy, and like Bonaparte, he relies on his star—but in nothing else he is like that hero of an hundred battles. My own opinion is decidedly that Santa Anna must be beaten, and he will either fall in with the views of the pronunciados or be put down. Strong suspicions are entertained, and rumors are already abroad, that the Revolvers and the President understand each other, that he secretly favors the plan, and connives at their movements. The basis of the new plan is the creation of a Dictator with the powers of the Autocrat of the Russias, and perhaps the title of the Executive may, in a short time, be changed to King or Emperor, but we know the style of titles matters little, so the Executive has the power. "A rose by any other name would smell as sweet."

Those who pretend to know the President best, say he has always hankered after Royalty, and we shall very probably see that problem solved in six or eight weeks.

Silver Mines of Mexico.—From an article in the last number of *Illiman's Journal* we learn that there are about 500 towns or principal places in Mexico celebrated for the exploration of silver that surround them. These 500 places comprehend together about 3000 mines. The whole number of veins and masses in the exploration is between 4000 and 5000. The ore is generally in veins, rarely in beds or masses. The vein of Guanaxato is the most extensive.—It is from 120 to 150 feet thick, and is explored in different places for a distance of nine miles. The annual production of silver from the mines of Mexico during the last year of the 17th century was 1,134, 414 lbs.

ROBERT HALL'S FIRST SERMON.

"He was appointed, agreeably to the arrangement already mentioned, to deliver an address in the vestry of Broadmead Chapel on first Timothy, fourth chapter and tenth verse. "Therefore, we both labour and suffer reproach, because we trust in the living God, who is the Saviour of all men, especially of those that believe." After proceeding for a short time much to the gratification of his authority, he suddenly passed, covered his face with his hands, exclaimed, "Oh! I have lost all my ideas," and sat down, his hands still hiding his face. The failure, however, painful it was to his tutors, and humiliating to himself, was such as rather augmented than diminished his persuasion of what he could accomplish, if once he acquired self-possession. He was, therefore, appointed to speak again, on the same subject, at the same place, the ensuing week. This second attempt was accompanied by a second failure still more painful to witness, and still more grievous to bear. He hastened from the vestry, and on retiring to his room exclaimed, if this does not humble me, the devil must have me! Such were the early efforts of him whose humility afterwards became as conspicuous as his talents, and who, for nearly half a century, excited universal attention and admiration by the splendor of his pulpit eloquence."—[Dr. Gregory's Life of Robert Hall.]

GEORGIA vs. DOWN EAST.

Bar room of a Tavern.

Nutmeg.—(Addressing Cracker a Georgian) I say, Mister, you haint seed nothing of no umbrella, no wheres about here, haint you?

Cracker. Now, I tell you what, stranger, if you'll jist untwist that and say it over agin, I'll gin you an answer.

Nut. Now—do tell: I guess you are about as snappish as Deacon Holmes new invented sheep shears; they not only tack the wool clean off, but shaved the ears and tail with it!

Crack. You're a screamer!—Come, figure in with me in a mint julep, if you know what that is. Mint's all the go South—and if you want to git the first chop, go to the grave of any southern nullifier, who mought have recently died, and there you'll find the mint as they say, spouting up spontaneously.

Nut. No?—you don't say so? Well now that's a good one. Howsomdever, mister, I guess you never drank no

Black strap, did you? Spose you have not. Why bless your tarnal soul, its the sweetest drink that ever streak'd it down a common sized gullet. Lasses and rum, with a leetle dash o' water—Why, do you know when Deacon Snooks died he was buried in farmer Greg's old lot, just behind Major Stakes' grocery and liquor store; you know where it is?—Well, ever since he was laid there, which may be, I guess, about twelve years ago there's been a spring of blackstrap running.

Crack. Well, stranger, you can take the rag off the bush the cleanest I ever heard tell. I reckon you'll beat our old nigger Coot, who once ran agin a lawyer, and has never been able to tell the truth since. You can come huckleberry over my prisecimmon to day.

Nut. Well, I guess I am not quite as slow as a punkin vine or as dull as a rainy day. But you appear to be a green one in these parts—how do you like the middlings of Maryland?

Crack. Why I can't hardly say, I reckon your niggers are about a notch too independent—why, its a fact the vile catamounts are so plaguy slow on their trotters when a feller speaks to 'em, that they might run a race with a goard and be distanced arter all. I reckon ou had ought to see our Georgy niggers—they are a leetle worse than the sharp end of nothing whittled down, if they can't dodge a panther at 3 months old. I once see'd a nigger strick it up the Savannah River agin stream and wind middle deep in the water at the rate of ten miles an hour; if I did't may I be screwed down to a hoscake in a cider press.

Nut. Well now—do tell; you must have a rail holsome climate in Georgy.

Crack. I tell you what, stranger, our climate's got no nature at all. In the uplands it mought be the same as this there one day, and another jist about hot enough to roast a common sized salamander. Some folks there can't count their children, and don't die until they are so particularly old that they can't step into their coffin. But I reckon you've never been in the low countries? The fog there is so thick that you have to cut your way through it with a pick axe. A steamboat was once smashed to pieces by running agin a Georgy log.

Nut. I saw! mister, I should like to know what school you got your child in the lying in hospital—and led on razors. I guess if you were put into a cider mill you'd come out a regular built Cholera morbus.

Crack. Right, stranger—and you'd have to pass through all the cotton gins in Georgy afore you'd come out an honest man. Howsomdever, you're a screamer, so gin us a shake o' your corn stealer—and let us paddle canoes together.

The Revenue Collection Bill.—The following sensible remarks, on a subject much misrepresented and much misunderstood, are taken from a communication signed "Truth," in a late number of the *Sumter Whig*:

"Gen. Blair is condemned for his late vote on the bill to provide the more effectually for the collection of the revenue. This is the bill which the nullifiers have denominated 'the Bloody Bill.' Every man of talents in this nation who is not a nullifier and who has examined this subject, knows that the provisions of that bill had for its object to defeat nullification without the necessity of bloodshed. Without that bill, if nullification had proceeded, it must have led to a bloody conflict and all the horrors of civil war.

"By the Constitution of the United States, the laws of Congress are the supreme law of the land, and State law to the contrary notwithstanding. To this Constitution South Carolina is a party,

"Gen. Jackson on entering into office, was sworn to support the Constitution of the United States, and to see the laws executed.

"South Carolina nullified two of the revenue laws of Congress. Gen. Jackson by his oath of office, was bound to see those laws enforced, and the revenue collected. Without the enforcement of the law, the Government was at an end.

A law was on Statute Book, and of full force, which had been passed under the administration of Gen. Washington and approved by him; authorising the President to employ the militia of any state or all the states, to enforce the laws of the United States, whenever they "shall be opposed or the execution thereof obstructed in any state, by any combination too powerful to be suppressed by the ordinary course of Judicial proceeding, or by the powers vested in the Marshal." During the administration of Mr. Jefferson, the State of Pennsylvania was endeavoring to obstruct the execution of the mandate of the United States Court by means of a state

law authorising the use of force, that purpose.

Mr. Jefferson asked Congress to ther power to enforce the laws of the United States Court, and to the laws of the Union. Congress ed a law authorising the President employ "such part of the land val forces of the United States as be judged necessary." This was given in addition to the army existing of calling out the militia. law remained unrepealed on the Stat Book.

The laws then in full force authorising Gen. Jackson to wield the whole power of the nation in the enforcement of revenue law. The militia, army and navy were at his command.

According to the state of things existing, had nullification been enforced what would have been the result?

Goods would have been taken possession of by the collector and held till the duties were provided for. According to the nullification arrangement the goods would be taken out of the hands of the collector by a State process. The goods would have been the officer of the State to aid him. The marshal would have made his appeal to the citizens. The President was bound to protect the United States officers in possession of the goods and would have been compelled to call the troops to the protection of the custom house! The Government would have called out the militia to enforce the State law and take the goods. A conflict of blood would have been the inevitable consequence out of which civil war would, in all probability have been kindled, which would have made one State the scene of bloodshed and desolation and ruin.

To avoid these evils, Gen. Jackson recommended to Congress to give sanction to the law then in force in enacting its provisions as no other had occurred for upwards of twelve years in call for their execution; and further recommended that he should be empowered to remove the custom house to some safe place, or on board a ship. The power was conferred on him. He did then remove the custom house to one of the forts, and by this means was enabled to defeat nullification without being attacked.

By this law then no new power of use force was conferred on Gen. Jackson. Under Mr. Jefferson's law, blood must from necessity, have been shed. Under the provision asked for by Gen. Jackson, every human measure was resorted to, which could avoid so great a calamity.

Yet, according to the doctrine of the nullifiers, Mr. Jefferson is a saint and the disciple of liberty and Gen. Jackson is a blood thirsty tyrant.

I have written this review of the subject with the laws before me.

The whole South Carolina delegation in Congress, voted for Mr. Jefferson's Bill, and saw nothing in it dangerous to liberty; But Gen. Jackson's Bill which has no new power in except the humane provision which may enable him to enforce the revenue without using force, is pronounced dangerous to liberty. Gen. Blair voted for this bill for the same reason for which Gen. Jackson asked its passage; because it defeated nullification in a manner least likely to be attended with bloodshed and civil war.

The nullifiers have the knack of calling things by wrong names and have been but too successful by this means in duping a great number of the well meaning people of this State.

August, 6th September.

"Cotton is selling to day from the waggons, prime new, at 16 1/2-17 cents. Our merchants, we think are not sanguine that it will support this price, and most of the purchasers are shifting it off of their hands as it is purchased—but few shipping. About 200 bales of new have been received yesterday and to-day."

Courier.

We are glad to perceive by the above paragraph that the Georgians are not likely to be misled by the temporary, and rather unaccountable, rise, which has taken place in the price of cotton. The experience which our cotton merchants and planters gained in 1825 should now preserve them from the follies of over speculation; for then, as now, the enormous advance in the value of the article was rather the effect of a capricious competition among dealers than of a healthy and natural demand. Those most conversant with such matters are utterly at a loss to account for the present rise in any other way.

case, the introduction of
the market will un-
doubtedly lower the price; and our
purchasers largely now,
reference to the change that
take place, my repent their
price. A late English paper,
of the state of the cotton mar-
ket that country, says that "it has
what it was in 1825, a scene of
glut and gambling." From the
source we learn that several of
factories were working "short"
in consequence of the increasing
of the raw material, no corre-
sponding advance having taken place in
manufactured goods. This is the
arest evidence that the present state
the market is destined to be of short
ration. From the limited quantity
hand in England and France, as
well as in our principal shipping ports on
side of the Atlantic, the probab-
is that cotton will command a fair
ce throughout the year, and any thing
yond this is ultimately injurious to
th the planter and the merchant.

Newb. Spec.

The Journal.



SALISBURY:

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1833.

The Raleigh papers state that a
large number of stone cutters lately ar-
rived in that city from the north, in-
tended to labor at the State House. We
would like to see some of our Nullifiers
try McDuffie's forty fable theory to this
nation from the north, and show how
the tariff has to be paid on each man
to the northern manufactures of Stone
masons out of the pockets of the "dear
people" of the South.

So it seems that North Carolina is not
able to raise even enough stone cutters to
build her State House. How wonderful she is
in so poor a condition—her citizens
know how to plough poor land, without
improving it, to raise their bread; but
when profitable jobs offer, industry is at
so low an ebb, that the citizens of other
states must be sent for to reap the bene-
fits. So we go, and so we will go to pov-
erty, if we do not diversify our employ-
ment and furnish our own workmen for
for such, as well as other branches of pro-
fitable industry.

We regret to see any paper in the
South, more especially a Union paper,
introducing another distracting con-
tention among us to add to the excessive agi-
tation already felt. The Columbia Hive,
an able and devoted advocate of our
Government, has devoted a column or
two of the last paper to the subject of
Masonry. If the editor was not aware of
the evils that sprung up with a proscrip-
tive intolerant party at the north called
the anti-masonic party, no blame could
attach to him for this false step; but he
is grey with years, and well acquainted
with the rise and progress of that party,
& knows what it now is: and as a matter
course he must know that it will come
to here. He also knows that it will come
to a worse state of things at the South,
where the people are naturally of a war-
mer temperament. Masons cannot bear
proscription letter than other folks; and
it is not to be expected that will passive-
ly submit to the abuse which will be
lowered upon them by fanatics, and po-
tical demagogues who must needs have
a hobby, no matter what it may be, to
ride upon. The institution has the
right of too many great and good names
all ages since its existence, for
body to expect a different result from
description, than bitterness and hatred.
A time when it is necessary for the
of civil liberty, to stand united and
to maintain their rights against the
of disorganizers, the introduction
question to split them up, is in-
false step. The editor acknowl-
edged ignorance of the institution, and
he does not say any thing offensive;
he is to blame for affording those who
posed to throw another firebrand

among us, and opportunity of doing so.
We have had an opportunity of learning
a little more of the institution than he
possibly can know; for we have the sat-
isfaction of belonging to the fraternity,
and therefore know what it is. We
know that it is not a monster incompati-
ble with Religion, Justice and Government—
we know that it is not that object the of
slander and vindictiveness which enemies
declare it to be. It is founded upon the
best principles of morality, so far as we
have gone into it, and that is the reason
why the storm of persecution has not
been able to overwhelm it. Therefore
let it alone—masons will abandon it
when they no longer esteem it—they will
do it themselves if it is done—but they
will not be driven into measures any soon-
er than any other body of men who en-
joy a right guaranteed to them by the
blood and toil of their forefathers.

We hope to see the subject lie undis-
turbed for the future.

A northern editor congratulates the
public on the gradual disappearance of
large bonnets and balloon sleeves, and
asserts, that a reduction in pew rent and
stage fare may be expected in conse-
quence. His joy arises from the pros-
pective saving of a few dollars and
cents, but I congratulate the public on
this reform from a different motive.—
The ladies will once more be permitted
to put their hands to the uses for which
nature bestowed them, and the rectan-
gular elbow will again return to its nat-
ural curve. I have never looked with
compleacency on a fashionable lady
since these horrible parachutes were in-
troduced. What is there lady like in
a pair of elevated fore arms, with fists
protruded forward like battering rams?
or in fixing the os humeri immovably
to the sides like those of a pinioned fel-
lon or the wings of a turkey prepared
for the spit? I know not whether this
abominable fashion imposes such re-
straints on the positions of city belles,
but one thing I do know, that the
"stocks and pillory attitudes," of their
provincial imitators are sufficient to
give a nervous man the lockjaw. I
would respectfully suggest that a por-
tion of the silk and muslin saved by
this reduction of sleeves or applied
longitudinally to the dress, so that it
may reach within at least a foot of the car-
pet. The grateful and elastic step is
the best indication of a neat ankle, and
obesity and deformity were better un-
seen.

BACHELOR.

Something to touch the heart.—Cole-
ridge somewhere relates a story to this
effect: "Alexander during his march
into Africa, came to a people dwelling
in peaceful huts, who knew neither war
nor conquest. Gold being offered to
him, he refused it saying, that his sole
object was to learn the manners and cus-
toms of the inhabitants. Stay with us
says the chief, as long as it pleaseth thee.
During this interview with the African
Chief, two of his subjects brought a
case before him for judgment. The
dispute was this. The one had bought
of the other a piece of ground, which
after the purchase, was found to con-
tain a treasure, for which he felt him-
self bound to pay. The other refused
to receive any thing, stating that when
he sold the ground, he sold it with all
the advantages apparent or concealed
which it might be found to afford.
Said the chief looking at the one "you
have a son," and to the other "you
have a daughter, let them be married
and the treasure be given to them as a
dowry." Alexander was astonished.
And what said the chief, would have
been the decision in your country. We
should have dismissed the parties said
Alexander, and seized the treasure for
the King's use. And does the sun shine
on your country? said the chief; does
the rain fall there? are there any cattle
there which feed upon herbs and green
grass? certainly said Alexander. Ah,
said the Chief, it is for the sake of these
innocent cattle that the Great Being
permits the sun to shine, the rain to fall
and the grass to grow in your country.

Trial of Prudence Crandall.—On Fri-
day and Saturday last, the trial of this
individual for violating a law of the
state of Connecticut, prohibiting any
person from setting up a school to in-
struct colored persons from other states,
took place at Brooklyn, Connecticut.
The fact of such violation was not den-
ied, and the defence rested upon the
question as to the constitutionality of
the law. On behalf of the State, Col.
Judson and Mr. Welch contended that
the term "citizen" had, in the constitu-
tion and laws of Connecticut, and in the
constitution of the United States, and
in the laws of Congress, a technical and
significant meaning;—that Indians, Afri-
cans or other descendants, although free

or free born, were not entitled to the im-
munities or privileges of citizens—that
consequently, the state had a constitu-
tional right to say that no colored persons
from abroad should come thither for
their grammar and geography. This
was opposed by Messrs. Ellsworth and
Strongin on the part of the defendant,
who contended that color was no legal
test of citizenship, and sustained their
position with zeal and ability. Judge
Eaton charged the jury that in respect to
the facts of the case they were the sole
judge—it was not for the court to advise
even in relation to them. If they found
that the defendant had committed the
acts charged in the information, it would
be their duty to find her guilty, unless
the law was bad for its unconstitutionality.
If they found that she had not com-
mitted the acts charged, they were
bound to acquit. In respect to the law,
it was the duty of the court to give an
opinion as to its character. In the opinion
of the court the law was constitu-
tional. The jury, however, were at
liberty, by the constitution of the state,
in a case of criminal prosecution, to de-
cide both the law and the fact.

The jury retired, and after returning
several times without being able to agree
on a verdict, finally came into court, and
stated there was no probability of their
agreeing. The court then took back the
papers and discharged them.

Original and true.—A servant woman,
near our office, was employed to do the
cooking for a family. When the hour
of dinner arrived, the land lady inquired
whether dinner was ready? No, ma'am,
was the reply; I have not yet finished
stringing the beans. The cook was in-
dustriously at work sewing the beans on
strings. Lord, what shall I do, the com-
pany are waiting. Indeed, ma'am, I
don't know; you told me to string the
beans, which I am doing with all might.

N. Y. Gas.

"Stringing the beans."—The account
of, has appeared, but "Boiling the Tea
Kettle is yet to come. In a family at
the west end of the city, lives an honest
Irish woman, for the purpose of attend-
ing culinary work. She was directed on
the first afternoon of her residence, to
boil the tea kettle (a very common
phrase) as early as possible. After
waiting a long time, and no signs of tea,
Mrs. — went in to ascertain why the
delay—when, lo! the tea kettle was boil-
ing, it having been put into a large pot,
and was boiling—if not water, with a
great fire could produce the effect.
What are you about Patty? Why, I am
doing what you told me to do—boiling
the tea kettle.

Bos. Cen.

John Randolph of Roanoke, who was
opposed, as is well known, to the Em-
bargo and Non-Intercourse laws, not
only because he deemed them impolit-
ic, but also because he believed them to be
unconstitutional, remarked:

"While I deprecate the existence
of the Embargo, I trust there exist, and
that there will always exist, a dispo-
sition to enforce the laws of the Gen-
eral Government. I will be one among
the first, sir, to resist a contrary
doctrine. If the laws cannot be
enforced, to what purpose are we a con-
federated people? and why have we or-
ganized a national government? I will
not believe that the citizens of any por-
tion of this country will rise in resist-
ance to the laws until the fact has actu-
ally occurred, and in this point of view
I regret the introduction of the report
and resolutions, as they lead to sugges-
tions of a different nature. When the
case does occur, I would apply the proper
remedy. I would have recourse, Sir,
to the knife and the cautery."

Bad things.—An unfaithful servant, a
smoky house, a stumbling horse, a scol-
ing wife, an aching tooth, an empty
purse, an incessant talker, a long story,
mosquitoes, flies, bees, spiders, and a
dandy!

Married.

In this town, on Thursday evening last, by
the Rev. John Morgan, Pastor of St. Luke's
Parish, Maj. James E. Kerr, to Miss Catharine
Huie, daughter of James Huie, Esq.

Died.

In this town on the 14th inst. Mary, infant
daughter of Mr. E. P. Mitchell.

OBITUARY.

DIED, at his residence in Fredell County,
on the 14th day of June, 1833, JAMES L. HILL,
Esq. in the 66th year of his age. Although
Mr. Hill was by inclination and habit chiefly
engaged in the bosom of his family, where
his virtues were mostly exhibited, yet he did
not refuse to serve his country when called
upon. He assisted in collecting the Revenue
of the United States, under the elder Adams—
was several years a member of the General
Assembly, and as assistant marshal took the
census of Fredell county, in the 1829 and 1830.
He embraced in early life, the religion of the
Bible, for which, until his death, he was a
decided advocate, and had been for many

years a Rolling Elder of the Presbyterian
Church. Mild, beloved, unassuming and cor-
teous in his manners, of unblemished morals,
honest and correct in his dealings, firm and
consistent in his profession of Religion, he
had many friends, who knew his works, and
estimated his good qualities, who, whilst they
submit without repining at the stroke of Di-
vine Providence, cannot but feel their own
privation. To his surviving friends and rela-
tives, he has left the example of his faith, his
patience and his benevolence; and for him-
self, we doubt not, he has received the reward
of a life, spent in doing good to his fellow-
men, and in fervent services to his heavenly
master

[Communicated.]

CHARLESTON, S. CAROLINA,

September 1, 1833.

THE subscribers beg leave to inform their
friends and the public, that they have en-
tered into Co-partnership, under the firm of
Macnamara, Phelan & Co.
and will open a Mercantile Establishment in
Cheraw, South Carolina, on the first day of
October next.

Our stock will comprise all the leading arti-
cles necessary for the Country; which we will
sell at the lowest prices. And our purchases
will extend to

All Descriptions of Produce

for which we will pay the highest prices.
Mr. John Magrath, for many years largely
established as a FACTOR and COMMISSION
MERCHANT, in Charleston, having started
his Steam Boat, the Liberty, on the Pee Dee,
between Charleston and Cheraw, to which
boat we act as agents, which will give us ad-
vantages and facilities that few possess. It
will enable us to pay the highest prices for
produce, and also enable us to keep constantly
on hand, a

FULL SUPPLY

of every article necessary for the country, and
sell them at very reduced prices.

The necessary funds, for the purpose of ad-
vance, will be held ready to anticipate the
wishes of such as may please to entrust their
business to our care; and should the Planter
or Merchant desire to try the Charleston mar-
ket in preference to Cheraw, we will forward
their produce the first opportunity that offers,
to Mr. John Magrath, by whom we assure ev-
ery exertion will be made to effect prompt and
advantageous sales in Charleston.

MACNAMARA, PHELAN & CO.

N. B. We have extensive Ware-Houses in
Cheraw, where Produce consigned to our care
will be stored, or forwarded to Charleston a-
greeable to order. Goods for merchants and
others will be received and forwarded as di-
rected by the first opportunity that offers.

M. P. & CO.

\$1460

IREDELL COUNTY BIBLE SOCIETY.

The twelfth Annual meeting of the Ire-
dell County Bible Society will be held at
the Presbyterian Church in Statesville, on
Wednesday, the 9th of October. It is ex-
pected that the Rev. Mr. Sparrow of Salisbury,
will deliver the Anniversary Discourse, and it
is believed, the exercises on the occasion,
will be interesting to the members, and the
friends of the Bible, where general and punctu-
al attendance is earnestly and respectfully
solicited. Exercises to commence at 11 o'-
clock.

D GOULD,

Pres. Iredell Co. B. S.
Statesville, Sept. 14, 1833.

PROSPECTUS OF THE

Yadkin & Catawba Journal,
Printed and published once a week.

THE JOURNAL will contain the latest For-
eign and Domestic Intelligence; an ab-
stract of the Proceedings of Congress and our
State Legislature, when in session; valuable
Public Documents, Speeches, Essays, &c. But
it will not be exclusively confined to these. It
embraces with its design, Agriculture, and the
Mechanic Arts, Education, Morals and what-
ever may tend to instruct or amuse the
various classes and interests into which the com-
munity is divided: in short, it will be, as far as
its limited means will admit, "a map of busy
life."

In its political character, it will undergo no
change. It will support the Rights of the
States; but it will give a no less strenuous
and unyielding support to the Rights of the
GENERAL GOVERNMENT. Consequently it will
oppose, at every hazard, the detestable heresy
of Nullification and Secession; and go for the
"Union, the whole Union, and nothing but the
Union," believing that only by adhering to
the Union of the States, can our Liberty as a
people be preserved, and the rich in-
heritance bequeathed to us by our patriotic
sires, transmitted unimpaired to posterity.

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The Journal will be sent to any person
without charge who will obtain six responsible
subscribers for one year.

SALISBURY

Male Academy.

THIS institution will open under the super-
intendence of myself and brother on Wed-
nesday, the first day of May next. Having had
considerable experience, as a teacher, and in-
tending to prosecute the business of tuition
with unabated zeal, I respectfully solicit a
share of the patronage of the country.

The year will be divided into two sessions of
five months each. All accounts must be closed
at the end of each session.

The following are the terms of tuition per
session:

Reading, Writing and Arithmetic with the
first rudiments of English Grammar, \$6
English Grammar and Geography, \$9
Languages and Sciences, \$12

Students can enter at any time, but cannot
withdraw except at the end of a session, un-
less prevented from attendance by sickness.

P. J. SPARROW, Principal
426tf T. W. SPARROW.

STOLEN.

ON the night of the first of September,
1833, while the subscriber and family
were at church, not far distant, his dwelling
house, about three and a half miles north of
Concord, Cabarrus County, N. C. was entered
and therefrom stolen a RED MOROCCO
POCKET BOOK, containing about \$150 in
Bank notes on the Banks of North and South
Carolina, and about \$25 in silver, principally
small change, together with about \$5000 worth
of notes on the following persons, viz:—
One note on Alexander Patterson, due Aug.
15, 1833 \$50.00; Wilson Phifer, Nov. 29, 1833,
\$35.00; Daniel Coleman, August 25, 1833,
\$100.00; John Phifer, December 19, 1833, \$50.00;
William C. Means, Jr. Sept 22, 1830, \$120.00;
John P. Phifer and William Phifer, Dec 27,
1832, \$175.00; David S. Stork, Jan. 22, 1834,
\$300.00; Edwin R. and Charles W. Harris,
Aug. 28, 1833, \$800.00;
[The above list was omitted in our last ac-
cidental.]

One note on Wm. H. Archibald August 19
1833, \$100. Johnson Biggers & Wm. Phifer,
August 8 1833, \$25.00, J. S. Spears & David
Stork, August 1, 1833, \$17.18; Jacob Cole-
man, sen., Nov. 20, 1833, \$20.00; J. G. Spears,
& D. Stork, August 2, 1833, \$16.22; Hiram
Hudson July 22, 1833, \$5.00; Martin Phifer, Jr.
due June 9, 1831, \$1.55; Martin Phifer Jr.,
January 2, 1834, \$10.00; Josiah P. White, May
1, 1832, \$10.00; James C. Frazier, April 15,
1832, \$6.00; do do March 28,
1832, \$5.00; Martin Shive, sen., January 29,
1833, \$5.00; William Miller, Feb. 29, 1833,
\$10.00; Israel Frazier, April 12, 1830, \$5.00;
Joseph Patterson, July 2, 1833, \$10.00; Abrah-
am C. McKee, dates not recollected, \$10.00;
Daniel Suther, do, \$4.28
James C. Frazier, do, \$2.00
with receipts and other papers which I do not
recollect.

JOHN ROGERS.

PROPOSALS

For publishing at Chapel Hill, the
village of the University of
North Carolina.

A WEEKLY NEWSPAPER TO BE CALLED THE

HARBINGER.

TO BE PUBLISHED BY

ISAAC C. PATRIDGE,

Under the special supervision of the Professors
of the University.

PROSPECTUS.

THE plan has been already communicated
to a number of gentlemen in different parts
of the State, & the publisher has been en-
couraged to the prosecution of it by letters, not
of approbation only, but of urgency. Some of
the principal objects will be, to diffuse litera-
ry information with correct taste; to press the
importance of popular and academic education,
and explain their best methods; discreetly, but
with an independent freedom of stricture, to
discuss subjects of which it is important to en-
quire, and to exhibit among ourselves
the progress of science in

ular forms that will solicit curiosity, and be
generally intelligible; to promote the cause of
Internal Improvement; and to give a compe-
tent portion of the political and religious in-
telligence of the time, with a studious exclusion
of all that is of a party character.

If we have not misapprehended public
sentiment, an opinion has long existed, at least
in many parts of our State, that a publication of
this nature was properly to be expected from
the site of its university, the express purpose
of which is to cultivate and diffuse valuable
and practical knowledge, as it is already treas-
ured up, and is constantly increasing with
the progress of time.

It is a common complaint with the publishers
of periodical works that punctuality in remit-
tance is less apt to be consulted in this than
in most other species of business. The one
now proposed, will be wholly without profit to
any one, except the necessary remuneration to
the publisher, and to those he shall employ for
the mechanical execution of the work. A
periodical paper in all its movements must be
the very terms run against time, and every ex-
perienced and reflecting man knows the truth
expressed by Doctor Johnson, that he who en-
ters the lists with time for his antagonist, must
toil with diligence not to find himself beaten.
Every one who favors the Harbinger with his
patronage, we hope will do it with presence
of mind to the importance of fidelity in its re-
mittance. On this the establishment must de-
pend for its support.

The publisher would not enlarge on the
qualities of the proposed periodical, even to
excite in the bosoms of his fellow-citizens a dis-
position to give it countenance and support,
lest while consulting that object, he might
seem to expose himself to the charge of mak-
ing vain promises, or raise expectations too
high to be fulfilled. Yet at a paper of such a
character as has perhaps been already imagin-
ed in the mind of his readers, is desirable in
our State, he cannot but think few will deny.

It is now to be determined after this expla-
nation, whether the proposed publication shall
be patronized by a sufficient number of sub-
scribers to warrant its commencement. It is
requested of those gentlemen, to whom this
prospectus is sent, and of others who may be
disposed to promote the object, that they will
consent to act for us in obtaining subscribers,
either themselves personally, or by some
friend who may be willing to undertake the
task.

CONDITIONS.

THE HARBINGER will be published weekly,
on a super-royal sheet, in the quarto form,
at THREE DOLLARS per annum, payable yearly
in advance, or FOUR DOLLARS, if payment is
delayed six months after the commencement
of each subscription year. The publication
will be commenced as soon as 600 subscribers
shall be obtained.

Persons holding subscription papers will
please forward the names of subscribers by the
first of April next.

All letters to be addressed (post paid) to the
publisher at Chapel Hill, North Carolina.

Editors of newspapers throughout the
United States will please give this prospectus
an insertion and consent to act as our agent in
procuring subscribers,
Chapel Hill, January 26th, 1832.

Literature and the Fine Arts.
Prospectus of a new volume—the first number to be issued on the 6th inst. Published weekly.

THE NEW-YORK MIRROR;
A Repository of Poetic Literature and the Fine Arts.

Devoted to Original Tales and Essays—Notices of New Publications—Critical notices on meritorious American productions not generally known—Comments on passing events—Choice brief and pointed passages from the best new works—Intelligence on scientific subjects, and respecting Societies, scientific, literary, philosophical, &c.—Sketches of the Pulpit, Bar, and Public Assemblies, and of Popular Lecturers and Lectures—The Fine Arts, Poetry, Painting, Music, Engraving, Sculpture, &c.—Foreign Correspondence—First impressions of Europe, by one of the Editors—Reminiscences of Olden Times in New-York—Papers from a Quiet Old Gentleman—American Biography, Scenes and Character—Sketches on the Drama and other Amusements—The Little Genius—Translations from the German, Italian, Spanish and French—Selections from Foreign Periodicals—Accounts of Colleges, Schools and American Institutions—Glances at American Eloquence—Sketches of Popular Speakers, including distinguished Divines—and with a great variety of miscellaneous matter; political, poetical, moral, humorous, &c.

Embellished with Splendid Engravings, on Steel, Copper and Wood; and Popular Music, arranged for the Piano Forte, Harp, Guitar, &c.

G. P. MORRIS, T. S. FAY & NATH. P. WILLIS, EDITORS.

Since the publication of our last prospectus the demand for the MIRROR has been unprecedented and beyond our most sanguine anticipations. At the commencement of the present year we printed an additional number of impressions, which we considered amply sufficient to satisfy our patrons for the entire year, and to have many on hand for subsequent disposal. We are sincerely gratified to state that the whole were off our hands in less than six months; not a single one remaining unsold; and orders are coming in continually for the back numbers which we are unable to supply. We have accordingly doubled the increase for the subsequent half volume, with the most grateful appreciation of our liberal encouragement, and an ardent resolution to meet it with a corresponding improvement.

Literary Character. In future the MIRROR shall assume a higher, more various and interesting character. New sources of sterling ORIGINAL MATTER are opened to us, comprehending as well the productions of several able FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS, as additional NATIVE AUTHORS, well known as among the successful supporters of our literature, and we are annually gaining, besides those hitherto within our power, other invaluable facilities for providing the most CHOICE SELECTIONS from popular journals abroad. We feel more emboldened to claim the continuance and extension of the support which our countrymen have already bestowed, from our conviction that as it has increased, so will the MIRROR be improved.

STRONGLY MARKED IMPROVEMENT. In the ELEVENTH VOLUME, we pledge ourselves that this IMPROVEMENT shall be yet more perceptible and satisfactory, that other agreeable writers, as they come within our reach, shall be added to our present correspondents, and that our columns shall be strengthened, varied and enriched with materials which publishers throughout this country and in Great Britain are extending towards us. There is no arrogance in our hope that we have at length, after years of toil, not free from despondency, and of heavy pecuniary outlays, for which we are only at this advanced period becoming adequately indemnified, taken root permanently in our native soil, and become, in some measure, identified with our NATIVE PERIODICAL LITERATURE. Even unjust criticism will improve without injuring us, and unfair competition only impel us to more indefatigable perseverance. We rely on the discernment of the country for the success of our claims, and no longer fear the possibility of being undersold by works which can only find to be cheaper because they are inferior. We present the MIRROR to the reading portion of the United States, as a periodical established, in which may be reflected the thousand light and shifting images of the passing world; to which the spirited and intelligent writers rapidly multiplying and developing their talents around us, may bring the effusions of their meditative, lively and inspired moments. We shall strive to render it an instructive, amusing and valued family journal, guarded from every tainted thought or careless allusion, which the young and the old of both sexes may safely peruse with rational enjoyment—which shall be useful without being dull, and gay without being flippant. We wish to see it a welcome visitor in the drawing room of the intelligent and the good—a gift from a father to his social fireside sufficient to chase away gloom with merry thoughts, and rebuke impudently by moral illustrations. This is the true philosophy of a weekly periodical, and we conceive that if our countrymen will, by their liberality and fidelity, afford us the means, we shall one day reduce it yet more completely to practice. So much for the LITERARY CHARACTER of the MIRROR.

Over the other departments our equally careful superintendence shall be exercised, and all the appropriate expense shall be bestowed, for we design, with the aid of our friends, to render the journal distinguished for its TYPOGRAPHICAL ACCURACY and BEAUTY, the quality and value of its MUSIC and the SPECTOR of its PICTORIAL EMBELLISHMENTS, as for its varied and high LITERARY REPUTATION. Our whole exertions shall be employed to render it an acknowledged specimen of the state of printing, engraving and periodical literature in the United States.

In the eleventh volume the paper will be so much ENLARGED as to admit AN ENTIRE PAGE OF ADDITIONAL MATTER. Engravings. THE PLATES will be SUPERB. They will consist of first rate steel engravings, FOUR in number, beside an elegant VIGNETTE TITLE PAGE. The first will represent a LOVELY and PICTURESQUE WATER and WOOD VIEW, in the vicinity of this city, and characteristic of the wild and romantic beauty of American scenery.

“Grand and bold, Columbia, thus the child of nature’s choice, Scales all her wonders to the Rhodian mould! Her lakes are oceans, every stream, a bay, Wide thro’ her frame its branching arteries throws; Her mountains kiss the moon: her sapient sway A beauteous belt hath wrought, whose ties enclose Tribes without end, realm after realm embraced In freedom’s opening arms, the savage and the waste.”

It is painted by Weir and engraved by Smillie in the best manner of those eminent artists and will unquestionably be a masterpiece. The COST of this single engraving WILL EXCEED SIX HUNDRED DOLLARS.

In the course of the volume, we shall also present our readers with a GREAT NATIONAL PICTURE, painted also by Weir, and engraved by Durand, executed with their utmost care and labor, and embracing ACCURATE LIKENESSES of Presidents George Washington, John Adams, Thomas Jefferson, James Madison, James Monroe, John Quincy Adams, and Andrew Jackson, appropriately grouped. When we assure our readers that the expense of this single plate will exceed One Thousand Dollars, they will acknowledge the justice with which we look to their continued liberality for a return and that our claims to their uniform support are based on no ordinary foundation.

Subjects for the other TWO PLATES are not yet selected, but they shall correspond with the character and standing of the work.

These expensive and exquisite engravings will not be sold to nonsubscribers for less than one dollar each. Subscribers may procure extra copies for framing, &c. at fifty cents.

Music.—It has been universally acknowledged by the public pen, and by all acquainted with the subject, that no LITERARY JOURNAL EXTANT presents so many advantages to the lovers of music as the MIRROR. A gentleman whose influence in improving the state of the America, is felt in all the principal cities, will superintend this department, which will present weekly to amateurs, a popular piece, arranged with accompaniments for the piano forte, harp, flute, guitar, &c. and consisting of CHOICE MORCEAUX from operas as produced here and in Great Britain, popular glees, ballads, songs, duets, waltzes, &c. forming in the whole a COLLECTION OF CHOICE AND RARE PIECES, which, although occupying but little more than one-sixteenth part of the work, could not be purchased in any other way, except at a cost far greater than that of our entire annual subscription.

Wood Engravings.—A number of interesting and beautiful designs have been adopted for these cuts, which will hereafter comprehend a greater variety of subjects than heretofore, and which will differ from and be superior to those already given. They will be carefully executed by Mason, Adams and Anderson.

Increased watchfulness will be exercised over American literature, and books of all descriptions are respectfully requested from publishers, especially the productions of native writers.

By the enumeration, at the head of this advertisement, it will be perceived that the plan of the MIRROR embraces every subject within the range of the fine arts and the belles-lettres, and no subject will be spared to render it equal to any other publication extant.—The flattering and general testimonials of the writers, scholars, & contemporary journals on both sides of the Atlantic, have unequivocally asserted that there is no work which gives such valuable equivalents for the amount of subscription, or which possesses more strong and undeniable claims to the efficient support of the American people.

CONDITIONS. The MIRROR is published every Saturday; at the corner of Nassau and Ann street. It is elegantly printed in the super royal quarto form, on fine paper, with brevier, minion and nonpareil type. It is embellished, once every three months, with a SPLENDID SUPERIOR QUARTO ENGRAVING, and every week with a popular piece of music, arranged for the piano forte, harp, guitar, &c. Fifty-two numbers complete a volume of four hundred and sixteen large pages, for which a beautifully ENGRAVED VIGNETTE TITLEPAGE, (painted by Weir and engraved by Durand,) and a copious INDEX, are furnished. The terms are FOUR DOLLARS per annum, PAYABLE IN ALL CASES IN ADVANCE. It is forwarded by the earliest mails to subscribers residing out of the city of New-York. Communications, POST PAID, must be addressed to the Editors. No subscription received for a less period than one year.

A new volume having commenced, those who do not give different instructions, will be considered as continuing for another year.

July 11, 1833.—5-tf.

NOTICE.

E. DICKSON,
HAS now received the whole of his new stock, consisting of all kinds of shoes for ladies, and of every description of Boots, Shoes and Pumps for gentlemen;—which he warrants to be made of the best materials, in a substantial and fashionable manner, and which he will sell low for CASH, or to punctual customers on a short credit.

Salisbury, June, 20, 1833.

State of North-Carolina, CABARRUS COUNTY.

William Hargrave vs. The Heirs at Law of Will. Kirk, deceased. Sci. Fa.

Tappingar to the satisfaction of the court, that Lewis B. Kirk, Edwin Kirk and Isaac Raney and his wife, heirs at law of the said Will. Kirk, deceased, are not inhabitants of this State: Ordered, therefore, that publication be made six weeks in the Yadkin and Catawba Journal, notifying the said Lewis B. Kirk, Isaac Raney and his wife to appear at the next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions to be held for the County of Cabarrus, at the Court House in Concord, on the third Monday of October next, then and there to plead, answer or demur, or judgment will be taken against them pro confesso.

Witness. JAS. G. SPEARS, Clerk.

6t460 pr. adv. \$2.50.

Blank Warrants for Sale

Here.

NOTICE.

THE firm of HUIE & CADE, is this day, dissolved by mutual consent.

JOSIAH HUIE, JOHN A. CADE.

Salisbury, Aug. 22, 1833.

BURTON CRAIGE having purchased the entire interest of Josiah Huie in the above firm, the business will, in future, be conducted by

CADE & CRAIGE.

The new concern will endeavor to merit, and hopes to enjoy the same liberal encouragement that was extended to the late firm.

CADE & CRAIGE.

Salisbury, August 23, 1833—4297

SALISBURY FEMALE SEMINARY.

THE exercises will be resumed on the 1st, day of October. Tuition, per session, (5 months) is \$10.50; Drawing and Painting \$10; Music \$20. Board \$35—Paid in advance. BENJAMIN COTTRELL, Principal.

NEW BOOK STORE.

THE subscriber having no prospect of being again able to perform the labors of the Ministry, and feeling, in common with other men, the importance of engaging in some employment which will enable him to provide for the wants of a rising family, has opened a BOOK STORE in Charlotte, N. C. He believes that such an establishment was needed in the western section of our state. He respectfully invites his friends, acquaintances, and all who feel any interest in the undertaking, to call and see his Books. He will be happy to execute orders for those who live at a distance.

While he has on hand some valuable works in Law, in Medicine, most of the Greek and Latin Classics, and other books used in our Schools and Academies, many works in Theology, and many Miscellaneous books suited to almost every class of readers, he will be able to procure on favorable terms, any books to be bound in the northern cities, or in the London market. It will give him pleasure to assist professional gentlemen or private citizens in enlarging their Libraries, or in purchasing new ones. He looks with confidence and respect for an enlightened community to encouragement.

DANIEL GOULD.

Charlotte, May 23, 1833 8t449

P. S. I have contracted with the Secretary of the A. T. S. for an edition of the Christian Almanac for North-Carolina, for 1834. It will contain 12 pages more of useful matter than hitherto, and be sold at the same price. It will be published in July, and may be had by the dozen or hundred, of John P. Haven, No. 142, Nassau street, N. Y. of Hughes & Turner, Raleigh, and at the Charlotte Book Store.

NEGROES WANTED.

THE subscriber wishes to purchase a number of YOUNG NEGROES.

without any limit, during the next twelve months. Any person having such property for sale, would do well to apply to the subscriber, or his agents, before they make sale, for they may rest assured that he will pay the most liberal prices, in Cash. The subscriber has no connexion, this year with Robert Huie, in the purchase of negroes.

JAMES HUIE. N. B. All letters addressed to the subscribers will be attended to as punctually as if application were made in person. In his absence Mr. Reeves, Postmaster, will contract, for negroes and pay cash, and is authorized at all times to purchase for him; and an Agent will at all times be found at Doct. Boyd's Hotel, in Charlotte prepared to make purchases the same as if the subscriber were present.

J. H.

Salisbury, N. C. July 12, 1833. tf.

State of North-Carolina, ROWAN COUNTY.

William Chambers vs. Otho Chambers & others.

In the court of Equity,

In this case a Supplemental Bill is filed, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that John Newman and Margaret his wife, defendants in this case, are not inhabitants of this State and not within the jurisdiction of the Court: It is therefore ordered, that publication be made for six weeks in the Yadkin & Catawba Journal, requiring the said John Newman and Margaret his wife to appear at the next term of this court at the Court House in Salisbury on the second Monday after the 4th Monday in September next, and answer, plead or demur to complainant's Bill; and in case of these failing to do so, Judgment pro confesso will be entered against them, and the case set for hearing exparte.

Copy from the minutes.

SAMUEL SELLIMAN, c. m. e.

6t458 pr. adv. \$2.50.

State of North-Carolina, CABARRUS COUNTY.

Equity, May Term, 1833.

Jno. W. Means vs. Jno. N. Phifer & Wm. Means, sen. } Bill.

In this case it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that William Means, sen. one of the defendants, is not an inhabitant of this State: Therefore it is ordered, that publication be made in the Yadkin & Catawba Journal and Raleigh Register for six weeks for the said William Means, sen. to appear at the next Term of this court, to be held for the County of Cabarrus at the court house in Concord, on the 8th Monday after the 4th Monday in September, 1833, and then plead, answer or demur to said Bill, or the same will be taken pro confesso, and set for hearing exparte. Witness P. B. Barringer, Clerk and Master for said county of Concord, the 8th Monday after the 4th Monday in March, 1833.

P. B. BARRINGER, c. m. e.

July 22, 1833. 6t455

Select Circulating Library.

Containing equal to Fifty volumes for Five Dollars!

PROSPECTUS.

In presenting to the public a periodical, entirely new in its character, it will be expected that the publisher should describe his plan, and the objects he hopes to accomplish. There is growing up in the United States a numerous population, with literary tastes, who are scattered over a large space, and who, distant from the localities where books and literary information emanate, feel themselves at a great loss for that mental food which education has fitted them to enjoy. Books are cheap in their principal cities, but in the interior they cannot be procured as soon as published, nor without considerable expense. To supply this desideratum is the design of the present undertaking, the chief object of which emphatically is, to make good reading cheap, and to put it in a form that will bring it to every man's door.

Books cannot be sent by mail, while the "Select Circulating Library" may be received at the most distant post office in the Union in from fifteen to twenty five days after it is published, at the trifling expense of two and a half cents or in other words, before a book could be bound in Philadelphia, our subscribers in Ohio or Vermont may be perusing it in their parlours.

To elucidate the advantages of the "Select Circulating Library" such as we propose, it is only necessary to compare it with some other publications. Take the Waverly novels for example; the Chronicles of the Canongate occupy two volumes, which are sold at \$1.25 to \$1.50. The whole number would be readily contained in three numbers of this periodical, at an expense of thirty seven cents, postage included! So that more than three times the quantity of literary matter can be supplied for the same money by adopting the newspaper form. But we consider transmission by mail, and the early receipt of a new book, as a most distinguishing feature of the publication. Distant subscribers will be placed on a footing with those nearer at hand, and will be supplied at their own homes with equal to about Fifty Volumes of the common London novel size for Five Dollars. This may not take fifty two weeks one accomplish; for, though not longer than one week will elapse between the issue of each number yet, when there is a press of very interesting matter, or where two or more numbers are required to contain a whole work, the proprietor will feel himself at liberty to publish at shorter intervals—fifty two numbers being the equivalent for five dollars.

Arrangements have been made to receive from London an early copy of every new book printed either in that mart of talent in Edinburgh, together with the periodical literature of Great Britain.—From the former we shall select the best Novels, Memoirs, Tales, Travels Sketches, Biography, &c. and publish them with as much rapidity and accuracy as an extensive printing office will admit. From the latter, such literary intelligence will occasionally be culled, as will prove interesting and entertaining to the lover of knowledge and science, literature and novelty. Good standard novels, and other works now out of print, may also occasionally be re-produced in our columns.

It is to be assured that the introduction of the "Select Circulating Library" into their domestic circle, as the gentleman who has undertaken the Editorial duties, to literary tastes and habits adds a due sense of the responsibility he assumes in catering for an extended and moral community, and of the consequences detrimental and otherwise, that will follow the dissemination of obnoxious or whole, some mental aliment. His situation and engagements afford him peculiar advantages and facilities for the selection of books.—These with the additional channels created by agencies at London, Liverpool, and Edinburgh, warrant the proprietor in guaranteeing a faithful execution of the literary department.

It would be supererogatory to dilate on the general advantages and conveniences which such a publication presents to people of literary pursuits wherever located, but more particularly to those who reside in retired situations—they are so obvious that the first glance can not fail to flash conviction of its eligibility.

TERMS.

The Select Circulating Library will be printed weekly on a double medium sheet of fine paper in octavo form, with three columns on a page, and mailed with great care so as to carry safely to the most distant post-office.

It will be printed and finished with the same care and accuracy as book work. The whole fifty two numbers will form a volume well worth preservation, of 832 pages, equal in quantity to 1200 pages, or three volumes, of Rec's Cyclopaedia. Each volume will be accompanied with a title page and index.

The price is Five Dollars for fifty-two numbers of six en pages each—a price at which it cannot be afforded unless extensively patronised. (Payment at all times in advance.)

Agents who procure five subscribers, shall have a receipt in full by remitting the publisher \$20—a proportionate compensation for a larger number. This arrangement is made to increase the circulation to an extent which will make it an object to pay agents liberally. Clubs of five individuals may thus procure the work for \$4 by uniting in their remittances. Subscribers, living near agents, may pay their subscriptions to them; those otherwise situated may remit the amount to the subscriber at his expense. Our arrangements are all made for the fulfilment of our part of the contract.

Subscribers' names should be immediately forwarded, in order that the publisher may know how many to print of the future numbers.

ADAM WALDIE.

Philadelphia, October, 1832.

Subscriptions received at this office.

Ladies and Gentlemen!

THE subscriber respectfully offers his services in

WASHING

articles of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Dress, and preparing them for use in the neatest and most elegant style.

Travellers will be waited on, whenever application is made, as well as the citizens, so that no delay will be experienced in a journey. He lives two doors below the Bank, on the corner of the Bank square. He is responsible for every article of Dress put in his care, so that no injury or loss shall in any case be sustained by his patrons. He humbly serves.

WILLIAM L. MITCHELL.

Salisbury, Aug. 30, 1833. 1w.

SALISBURY Male Acad.

THIS institution will open on Wednesday, the first day of May, under the consideration of myself and a committee, tending to prosecute the study with unabated zeal, I respectfully share of the patronage of the community.

The year will be divided into five months each. All accounts settled at the end of each session.

The following are the terms of session:

Reading, Writing and Arithmetic first rudiments of English Grammar, English Grammar and Geography, Languages and Sciences.

Students can enter at any time, but withdraw except at the end of a session prevented from attendance by sickness.

P. J. SPARROW, Principal.

426tf T. W. SPARROW.

SPRING AND SUMMER FASHIONS.

HORACE H. BEAR.

RESPECTFULLY announces to the public that he has just received, from Wilson & Sagueze, of New-York, the Spring and Summer Fashions for 1833 and will, in doubt, will please his customers. He desires to have his work done, as usual, in a neat and fashionable style. It is all doubt, that his cutting is superior to any in the neighborhood. His shop is on main street next door to Doct. Burns.

N. B. He also returns his sincere thanks to his customers and friends, for their liberal patronage; and hopes, by a continuance of punctuality and strict attention to his shop to merit it further.

He has just received a newly invented and much improved system of cutting, which he sure will please his patrons.

MILLINERY. LATEST FASHIONS!!

"The apparel oft bespeaks the Lady."

MRS. S. D. PENDLETON.

INFORMS the public that she has received the Spring and Summer Fashions from correspondents in the Northern Cities, and prepared to execute orders with despatch. Her house is nearly opposite the office of Watchman.

Having learned this business, in the honorable Town of Lynchburg, and having much employment there, as well as in the fashionable places in Virginia—Mrs. P. is persuaded that she can give satisfaction to such as choose to employ her. She will receive regularly from Philadelphia and New York the latest Fashions, and will keep Patterns for sale to those who may wish to make their own dresses.—She will, likewise, receive from few

Caps, Turbans, & Fashionable DRESS BONNETS.

Mrs. P. feels confident that she can suit the taste of this polished community;—she, therefore, asks of them a trial of her skill.

All orders from the country shall be diligently fulfilled.

Salisbury, May 10, 1833.—439tf.

TO JOURNEYMEN SHOEMAKERS.

JAMES MULL,

WANTS immediately two or three Journeymen Shoemakers. Workmen of industrious and steady habits will find constant employment, and receive good wages.

Salisbury, May 10, 1833. 439tf.

State of North-Carolina. BUNCOMBE COUNTY.

Superior Court of Law, April Term, 1833.

Mary Cogburn vs. James Cogburn. Petition for Divorce.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the defendant, James Cogburn, is not an inhabitant of this State, it was ordered, that publication be made for three months, in the Yadkin & Catawba Journal and North Carolina Spectator and Western Advertiser, that unless the said James Cogburn appear at the next Superior Court of Law, to be held for the County of Buncombe, at the Court House in Asheville, on the third Monday after the fourth Monday in September next; then and there to plead, answer or demur to said petition, the same will be taken pro confesso, and set for hearing exparte. Witness Joshua Roberts Clerk of said court, at Asheville, the 3d Monday after the 4th Monday in March 1833.

J. ROBERTS, Clerk.

3mt454. pr. adv. \$4.50

CLASSICAL SCHOOL.

A Classical School will be opened at Beattie's Ford, in Lincoln County, N. C. three miles from the Catawba Springs, the second Monday in July.

RATES OF TUITION.

Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, \$5 per session, of five months; English Grammar Geography, \$7.50cts. per Session. Latin and Greek Languages, and the Sciences, \$12.50cts. per Session. Board can be obtained in respectable private families, at 50c per Session.

The subscriber promises to use his best exertions to advance the mental and improvement of the young men committing this care; and he hopes, that the healthful climate, and the moral character of the neighborhood, will induce Gentlemen, to wish to give their sons a thorough Education, to favor him with their presence.

Those who may desire more information with regard to the school, are to Messrs: Robert H. Burton, Alfred ton, John D. Graham, and Maj. D. M.

ROBT. G. ALLISON, Jr.

June, 15, 1833.—3mt456